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Interagency Group No. 18

TO:	OVP	- Mrs. Nancy Bearg Dyke
	NSC	- Mr. Michael O. Wheeler
	AID	- Mr. Gerald Pagano
	CIA	[redacted]
	Defense	- Col. John Stanford
	ICA	- Ms. Teresa Collins
	JCS	- Maj. Dennis Stanley
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SUBJECT: NSSD 8-82: Interagency Group Meeting on Horn
of Africa, June 22, 3:00 p.m.

The next meeting of the Horn of Africa Interagency Group will be held on Tuesday, June 22 at 3:00 p.m., in Room 3519 at the State Department. The meeting will be chaired by Chester A. Crocker, Assistant Secretary for African Affairs. Attendance is principal plus one from each agency. Please inform Ms. Kay Gilstrap (632-0905) of the name of your attendee(s) by noon on Tuesday, June 15.

The purpose of this meeting is to reach agreement on the basic texts of the study paper and draft NSDD, to identify any issues which need to be referred to higher levels and to make assignments for the preparation of necessary issue papers.

The drafting group commissioned at the May 19 meeting of the IG has prepared a revised draft of the study paper and a draft NSDD, ad referendum to all IG principals. Copies of these documents are attached; also included are an updated version by CIA of Annex III on recent developments in the Horn and an expansion by State of Annex IV on the impact of security assistance on the economies of recipient states.

Participants should note that the drafting group texts contain bracketed language (pages 1 and 6-9 of the draft NSDD, and pages 18-22 of the study paper) reflecting a difference of view between State and NSC/DOD on the priority to be accorded to efforts to reorient the Ethiopian regime from its current

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relationship with the Soviet Union and Libya. Participants should be prepared to discuss whether and how this issue should be presented to higher levels for resolution, and should also be prepared to identify any other issues which may need to be referred for higher level review. The drafting group attempted to take into account the specific comments and proposed language changes received following the May 19 meetings, but any further suggestions which may emerge from members' review of the revised texts may be submitted at the June 17 meeting or (preferably) before the meeting to Curt Kamman or Dick Baker of the Office of East African Affairs (632-9742).



L. Paul Bremer, III
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

As stated.

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